

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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| In the Application of: Jeff Chen et al.  | ) |                              |
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**RESPONSE TO THE OFFICE ACTION MAILED MAY 4, 2010**

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Please consider the following remarks in response to the Office Action mailed May 4, 2010. No fees are believed due, but the Office is nevertheless authorized to charge deposit account 13-2490 for all fees.

**Remarks** begin on page 2 of this paper.

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